

Hope is still in darkness—as far as the electric light proposition is concerned. But it is no fault of Mr. Moores for he has been putting forth every effort to get the necessary material here. The time limit of 100 days as provided in ordinance No. 23 has expired, so the city council at its meeting Monday evening extended the time for another 100 days. The switch-board, which has been the source of all the delay, was shipped from the Chicago house Feb. 4th, and as soon as that arrives there will be no time lost in pushing the work to completion. Mr. Moores has been greatly annoyed of late by people asking about that (infernal switch-board.) As soon as word was received from the company he immediately tacked up the letter bearing the information on the east wall in the post-office, that all might read and be wise.